



Fig. 1

The image displays a high-contrast, black-and-white texture, likely a scan of a book cover or endpaper. The surface is covered in a dense, irregular pattern of white specks and dots against a black background. A prominent horizontal band, featuring a distinct woven or checkered pattern, runs across the center of the image. The overall appearance is grainy and noisy, characteristic of a low-quality scan or a heavily textured material.

**FIGURE 2a**